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# Echoes



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## *Grade Echoes*

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EVERETT, MASSACHUSETTS

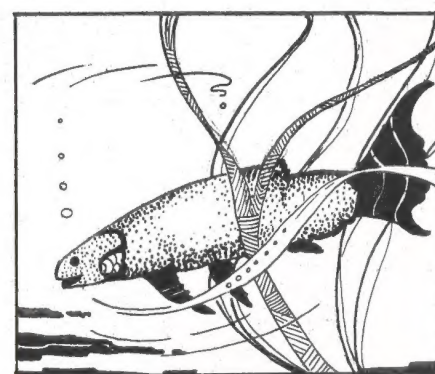
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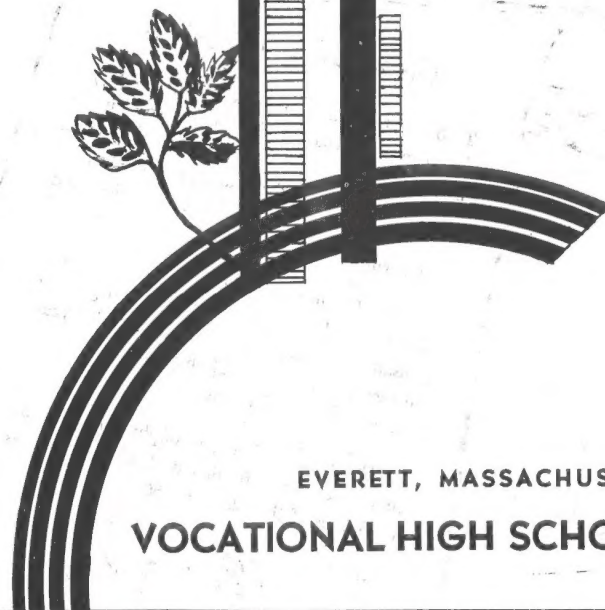




Here are the portals through which we entered, and behind which we have acquired a firm working knowledge of our respective trades, and now are leaving to take our places in the great world of industry.

May we have the power to envision and achieve, for there lies before us "new worlds to conquer, and new heights to attain"; for only thus can we determine the success and the measure of life's happiness.

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EVERETT, MASSACHUSETTS

VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

TRADE ECHOES



# Foreword

## Vocational High School

Through this, our Year Book, we extend to you our thanks for what you have meant to us in the past and what you will mean to us in the future. The work of the students and faculty toward a common goal in classes, shops, activities, and sports will long be remembered.

The familiar daily scenes, the memorable events, formal and informal, serious and gay, the pleasant friendships which made up the years we spent at Vocational High School will always be treasured in our hearts.

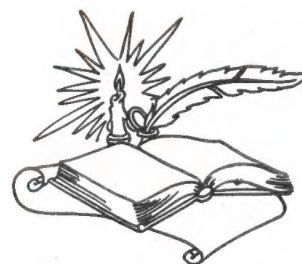
These pages tell a story of physical and intellectual growth and fulfilment of the future hopes and desires of the Class of 1956.

*Class of 1956*

# Dedication



WILLIAM LOUIS HOLLE



## THE GRADUATING CLASS OF 1956

Are happy to dedicate their year book to a man who has faithfully given 25 years of service to our school.

His teaching has been instrumental in the success of a great number of Boys in the Printing Department.

For the past twenty years he has been our Faculty Manager of Athletics. Under his management our Vocational High School has competed with many outstanding schools in our various sports.

May you, Mr. Holle, continue in this good work for many years to come.

## ADMINISTRATION



200 NEWBURY STREET, BOSTON

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Department of Education

JOHN J. DESMOND, JR., Commissioner



## DIVISION OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

WALTER J. MARKHAM, Director

JOHN F. SHEA, Assistant Director

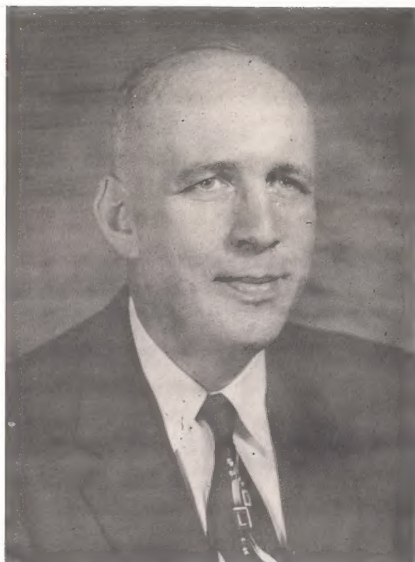
## EVERETT SCHOOL COMMITTEE



Seated—Left to Right: Mr. William P. Canty, Secretary and Superintendent of Schools, Mrs. Margaret Denny, Mr. Albert E. Morris, Esq., Miss Mabel G. Curnane, Mr. William T. Harrington, Jr., M. D., Chairman.

Standing—Left to Right: Mr. Joseph A. Curnane, Mr. William H. Gerety, Esq., Mr. George R. McCarthy, Mr. Peter T. McLaughlin, Esq., Vice-Chairman, Mr. LeRoy J. Kelley, Jr., D. S. C.

## EXECUTIVE OFFICER



MR. WILLIAM P. CANTY  
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

## ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT



MR. CHARLES E. BLEILER  
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS





### *Our Principal's Message*

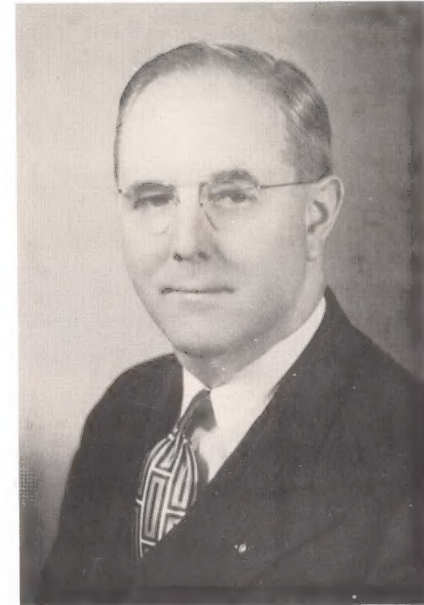
First, I wish to congratulate you as you complete your stay at the Everett Vocational High School. I sincerely hope that these past few years have been happy ones, and that the training you have received will serve as a solid foundation in your chosen field.

May I extend to you my sincere wishes for continued success and happiness in the years to come.

Trade Echoes is a record of your specialized training and other school activities. I trust that this training, geared to trade and industrial standards, will help you to attain a better place in life.

*John W. Bates*

## VOCATIONAL DIRECTOR



MR. JOHN W. BATES  
PRINCIPAL OF SCHOOL



# VOCATIONAL HIGH FACULTY



Cowan W. Battersby  
Printing



Joseph J. Bognore  
Cabinet Making



William P. Crowley  
Academic



Vincent DiPalma  
Auto Repairing



Wilbert Doughty  
Radio and Television



Anthony Fortini  
Cabinet Making



Frank Grueter  
Cabinet Making



John B. Hemingway  
Machine



William L. Holle  
Printing



Cecil Kenny  
Electrical



Frederick Mahony  
Sheet Metal



Paul Merlesena  
Academic

*C. S. K.*

*Best wishes  
Paul Merlesena*

# VOCATIONAL HIGH FACULTY

*Good Luck, John*



George M. O'Neill  
Academic



Alice G. Peters  
Home Economics



Ralph E. Raymond  
Sheet Metal

*Coach George O'Neill*



Donald W. McKee  
Academic



John J. Frackleton  
Decorating

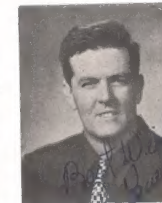


Hubert Turcotte  
Upholstery

*Good luck  
H. Turcotte*



Arthur Wanson  
Jr. Sheet Metal



Carleton E. Kenerson  
Automobile



Albert W. Romboli  
Academic

*Albert W. Romboli*



Phyllis Connors  
Clerical



Anna L. Tobin  
Clerical





Here is Phyllis Connors and Anna Tobin our Office Clerks, always willing to answer all those questions.

*Best Wishes  
Phyllis*

*Best of Luck  
Anna*



May the same spirit of those, who so nobly sacrificed and fought for all that we have and are today, cause us to so order our lives that the coming generations may look back and see that we built for them—that they too may better enjoy, as we do,—

Life, Liberty, and the  
Pursuit of Happiness.



# *Class Officers*



Robert Cataldo, President



Joseph Scully, Vice-President



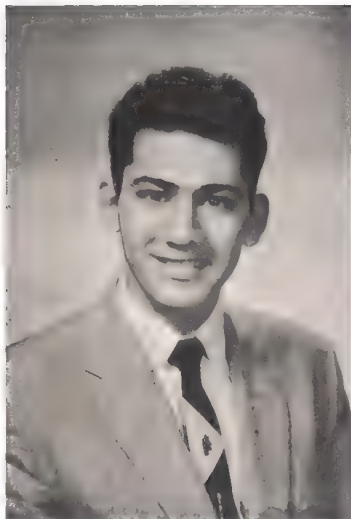
Carol Hathaway, Treasurer



William Fitzgerald, Secretary

CLASS OF 1956





JOSEPH AGRI  
SHEET METAL

Treasurer 2    Choir 2, 3

We know that "Joe" will be a leader in his trade. He would like to join the Navy and be an Aviation Metalsmith. Best of luck.

ANITA AMIGO  
HOME ECONOMICS

President 1, 2

There will never be a dreary day when Anita is there to show you the way. We know she will be a success in whatever she chooses as her career.



PAT ALTERIO  
PRINTING

Basketball 1, 2    Baseball 1

If "Pat" can manage his Offset Press as well as he managed our basketball team, we know he will be a success.



MICHAEL ANKIEWICZ  
AUTOMOBILE

"Mike" is Navy bound, a better man could not be found. He hopes to own his own Auto Repair Shop when he gets out of the Navy.





JOSEPH ARIGO  
CABINET MAKING

President 2, 3, 4 Vice-President 1  
Basketball 1, 2 Track 1, 2 Choir 2, 3, 4  
Dance Committee 4

His good will towards all, has made him one of the best liked boys in the school. Joseph is now attending the Boston Museum of Fine Arts.

JOSEPH BARBUTO  
CABINET MAKING

Band 1, 2, 3

"Joe" has achieved a very good standing in school. He has hopes of making a success in his trade. Good luck in the future.



DAVID BARNES  
PRINTING

"Dave" is a quiet type of boy who is lots of fun when he gets going. He likes his trade and has a desire to become a Offset Pressman. Good luck.



JOSEPH E. BLINN  
CABINET MAKING

Dance Committee 4  
Treasurer 2, 3 Secretary 4

Joseph is a good worker and very serious minded. His favorite pastime is dancing. To become a good Cabinet Maker is his ambition in life.



*With Jackie  
it's sweet kid who  
is hope always remember  
me. Eddie '56*



ARTHUR BOLDUC

MACHINE

Baseball 1

Time is no object to this young working boy; he'll never rush for anything, this kid is really coy.

FRANK BOVEST

RADIO AND TV.

Frank is a born leader and a fine speaker which he proved in last year's Memorial Day Exercises. He has the desire of being an executive in a manufacturing corporation of his own trade.



JOHN BOYLAND

ELECTRICAL

Track 2, 3

Traffic Squad 3

Dance Committee 3

If your wires get crossed and your fuses blow, have confidence, call on "Bobo"!



EDWARD BROWN

SHEET METAL

"Eddie's ambition is to become a Welder. He always has a smile on his face and is ready to help others.





PAUL BUCHANAN

DECORATING

Track 2, 3      Auto Driving 3  
Treasurer 3      Basketball 3  
Dance Committee 3

Paul is well liked and has many friends. He has seriously thought of making a career in the Navy. Good luck!

RALPH CAPODILUPO

CABINET MAKING

In the past three years Ralph has done well in the Cabinet Making Department. We all hope he will further his education at Wentworth. Good luck.



ROBERT BYRD

AUTOMOBILE

Year Book Representative 3

President 3

"Birdie" is the busy type. His ambition is to be a Vocational teacher. With his pleasing personality we are sure he will succeed.



ROBERT CATALDO

PRINTING

Class President 1956      Basketball 1

"Rico" is popular with everyone. If he does as well in the Printing trade as he has done in school, we know he will be a success.



EDWARD F. CLARK, JR.

MACHINE 1 AUTOMOBILE 3

Track 1 Treasurer 1, 2, 3 President 4  
Dance Committee 4  
Yearbook Representative 4

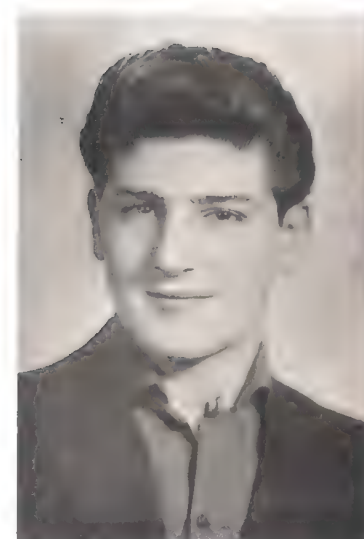
Always looking for answers to solve the problems out, eventually he will find them and of that we have no doubt.

THOMAS DECHICCO

JUNIOR SHEET METAL

Baseball 2 Treasurer 3  
Yearbook Representative 3

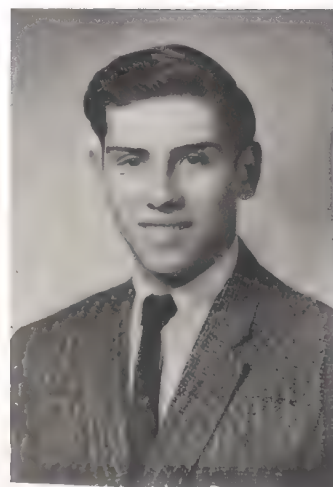
"Tom" has a good personality. He has the ability to become a good sheet metal worker. Best of luck.



WILLIAM COLLIBEE

SHEET METAL

William would like to be a Machinist. We know he will be a great success.



RALPH DEGURSKI

SHEET METAL

Ralph's willingness to work will always put him a step ahead in life. We all know that he will be a success.





JOHN DELANEY

AUTOMOBILE

John will soon be Navy bait. His knowledge of engines will win him a rate. He is the quiet type and will achieve success by his thoughtfulness and consideration for others.



JOHN DESANTIS

AUTOMOBILE

John intends to work in an Auto Shop when he graduates. We know he will succeed.



ALBERT DELORETO

DECORATING

Track 3	Baseball 2, 3
Traffic Squad 3	Basketball 1, 2, 3
Auto Driving 3	Dance Committee 2
Yearbook Representative 3	
President 3	Vice-President 2

Albert has a good personality. He should go far in his chosen field of work.



EDMUND DILLON

PRINTING

Baseball 1

Edmund is a quiet type of boy who is likely to succeed. Printing is his choice of occupation.



THOMAS DINAPOLI

PRINTING

Basketball 1, 3 Secretary 3

"Pancho" has a smile for everyone. We know he will make good in anything he attempts to do.

GEORGE DOYLE

CABINET MAKING

Track 2, 3

George has been a member of the track team for two years. Outside of his physical ability he has made quite a success in his trade. We all hope he will continue his good standing in the future.



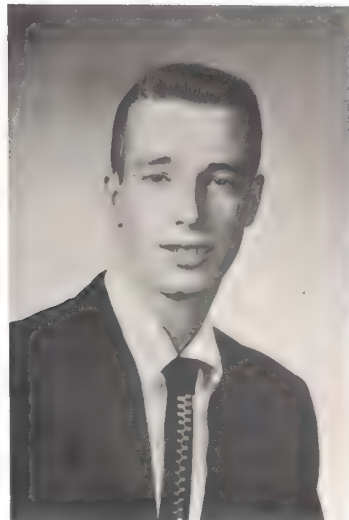
Good Luck  
To a Good Friend  
"Geor"  
55  
DOYLE

ADRIAN J. DOYLE

ELECTRICAL

Yearbook Representative 4

A hobby of swimming Adrian has now, to wire a house he knows how. His ability is showing, his ambition is growing and an Electrician he hopes to be.



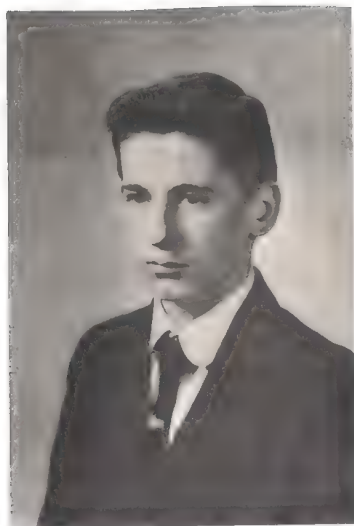
ask Bill always remember  
the good times we had  
in the past & the future  
I hope you will be  
a success in everything  
you do. Love  
Shirley



SHIRLEY LOUISE DUNCANSON

HOME ECONOMICS

Shirley is a sweet girl with a winning personality. Her ambition is to be a stitcher.



RICHARD DUSZYNSKI  
AUTOMOBILE

Baseball 1, 2, 3

"Richie" is the likeable type with a good word for everyone. He is hoping to open his own business soon.

WILLIAM FITZGERALD

RADIO AND TV.

President 4

Bill is very ambitious and is liked by everyone. He has hopes of going into the Radio & T. V. business someday and we have no doubt that he will succeed.



JOHN ELLIS

CABINET MAKING

John shows much ambition toward his work. He is popular with his classmates. His favorite pastimes are hunting and fishing. We all wish him success in the future.

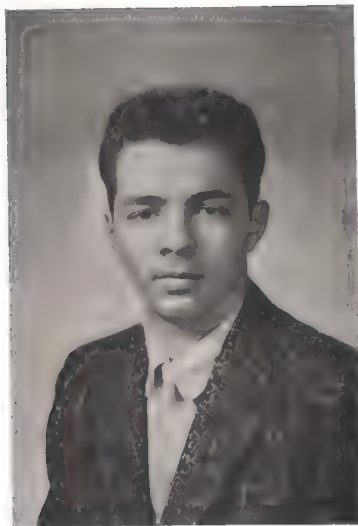


JOHN FRYC

SHEET METAL

No matter what he chooses to be his life career, we know he will succeed when he departs from here. Best of luck!





DENNIS GALE

DECORATING

Baseball 1, 2

Basketball 2

Dennis is a quite and self-sufficient boy who likes music. We know that someday he will be a big success.

FOSTER HALLETT

AUTOMOBILE

Homeroom Treasurer 2

Foster hopes to have a Motorcycle Shop someday and we are sure his will be the best.



GENE HARPER

AUTOMOBILE

Dance Committee 3 Homeroom Secretary 3

Gene's ambition is to be a Chrysler Mechanic. His conscientiousness and patience will help him greatly.



JOHN HARRINGTON

RADIO AND TV.

"Johnny" is quiet and happy go lucky. His goal in life is to be a success in the Radio & T.V. business. Good luck!





CAROL JEAN HATHAWAY

GIRLS' BUSINESS

Class Secretary 2 Yearbook Representative 2

"Popular we must agree". Carol likes to dance and skate. After graduation she wishes to become a comptometer operator.

JOHN HENSEY

MACHINE

Basketball 3

He's forever at his working place really a busy boy; and whatever job he enters I'm sure that he'll find joy.



EDWARD HEDRINGTON

DECORATING

Baseball 3 Auto Driving 3

Traffic Squad 3 Vice-President 3  
"Ed" has many friends among his classmates because of his natural good disposition and willing attitude. His painting and decoration of furniture are the best.



FLORENCE MAE HORWOOD

HOME ECONOMICS

Florence would like to work in a hospital. We are sure she will be successful at whatever she does.



RAYMOND JACKSON

AUTOMOBILE

"Stonewall" will win success with his outstanding personality and easy sense of humor. "Smile and the whole world smiles with you."

FRANCIS McCARTHY

SHEET METAL

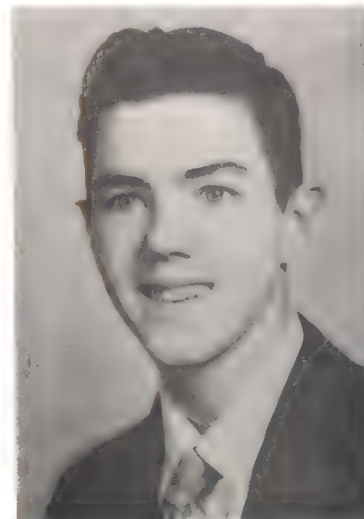
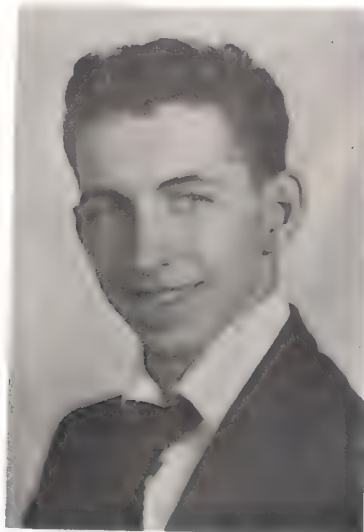
"Mac" has a good personality and is very ambitious. We know whatever he plans to do he will be a success.



LAWRENCE LANDRY

SHEET METAL

"Larry's" ambition is to become a driver. He has a wonderful personality and a smile for everyone. Best of luck.



JOHN McCORMACK

AUTOMOBILE

John will win success and fame, with a prize-winning custom, bearing his name. He hopes to have his own Custom Shop.





JAMES E. MALCOLM  
MACHINE

Baseball 1      Treasurer 2, 4

He's always there to give a hand as long as work is nil; a driving career on the open road seems to be his will.

DANIEL MENDALKA

RADIO AND TV.

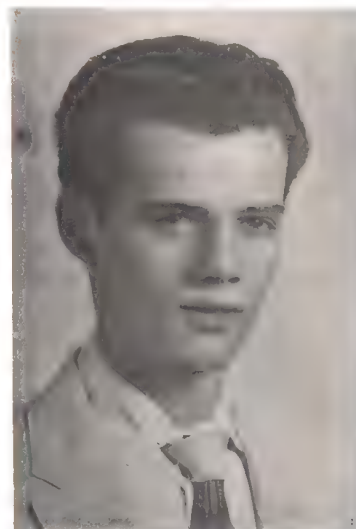
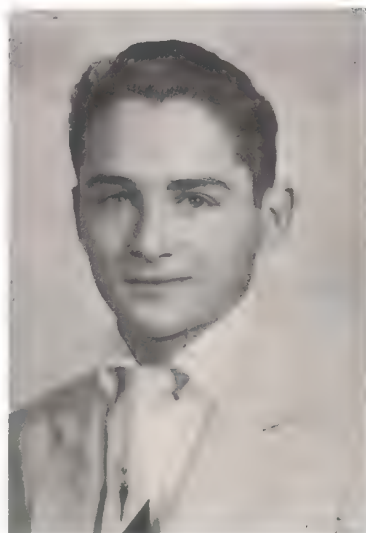
'Danny's' the number 1 boy, liked by everyone in his class. His aim is to be a success at his vocation in which I know he will succeed. His hobbies are watersports and hunting.



RICHARD J. MEDE  
CABINET MAKING

Treasurer 1      Vice-President 4  
Secretary 2, 3    Dance Committee 4

"Dick" has been a Vocational High School student for four years. Personality and ability are the words picked to describe this boy. His work in the Cabinet Making shop has proven his ability. Dancing and football are "Dick's" favorite hobbies. His ambition in the future is to become a Cabinet Maker.



PHILIP MILANO  
SHEET METAL  
President 3

"Phil" would like to be a steelworker. With his pleasing personality we know he will be a success.



ARNOLD MILLER

RADIO AND TV.

Traffic Squad

Arnold is an all around kid easy to get along with. His objective is to be a success in his trade. Ice skating and baseball are his favorite pastimes.

INES PENNA

HOME ECONOMICS

Dance Committee 2

Her ambition is to be a stitcher. After graduation she plans to take a course in advanced sewing. Her determination should make her a success in any field.



FREDERICK NUZZO

SHEET METAL

F.M.C.I.A.A.C. 1955 - 2nd prize

"Fred" won second prize in the F.M.C.I.A.A. Contest.

His willingness to work and his constant smile will always put him a step ahead in life.



ALVIN QUINLAN

AUTOMOBILE

"Buddy" hopes to have his own garage. He is the quiet, steady type of worker who always gets there in the end.



*Best of Luck  
Joe Scully*

JOSEPH SCULLY  
RADIO AND TV.

Vice-President 3

To "Joe" who won't say what his ambition really is; whatever he does he'll do in a whiz.

LUCILLE SINGLETON

HOME ECONOMICS

Choir 1      Treasurer 2  
Vice-President 1

The room is always full of cheer, whenever our little Lucille is there. Best of luck to a girl that will be hard to forget.



FREEMAN SUMMERS

DECORATING

Baseball 1, 3    Track 3    Auto Driving 3

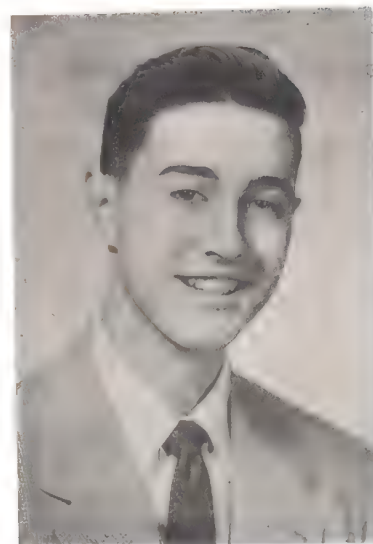
Freeman is an all round worker in the Painting Department. His favorite sports are fishing, swimming, and boating. He is fond of music. We are sure he will be successful in the Painting trade.



JAMES SURETTE

RADIO AND TV.

"Jimmy" shows much ambition toward his work. His ambition to be a success in his trade should be very easy for him. We all know he won't let us down. Good luck!







RICHARD SMITH  
SHEET METAL

"Smitty" has the ambition to become a Sheet Metal Worker. We know he will be one of the best.

THOMAS TRITES  
PRINTING

Basketball 1, 2, 3    Baseball 1, 3  
President 3    Yearbook Representative 3

If "Tom" does as well in the Printing Industry as he does in sports and school work, we know he will be a success.

*Go the class C---  
of '56 BoBo  
Good Luck  
Tom!*



ROBERT THOMAS  
DECORATING

Robert has been in the Auto Dept. for two years, and in the Decorating for one year. He plans to follow the Painting trade when he graduates. He likes camping and hunting. We are sure that he will do good.

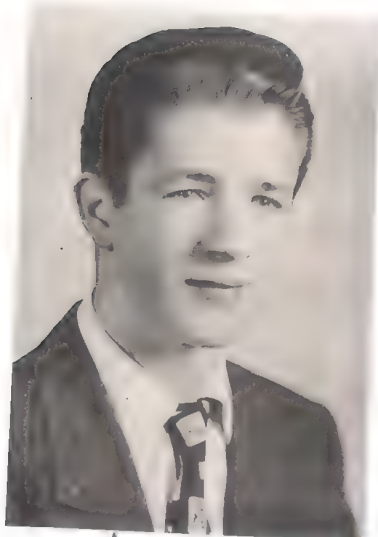


JOSEPH WALCZAK, JR.  
MACHINE 4

Baseball 2, 3, 4    Basketball 4  
Secretary 4

A versatile worker who seems to have two homes; in Auto or Machine Shop they will be his two fields to comb.

*Good Luck  
Joseph Walczak Jr.*



FREDERICK WARREN

PRINTING

Basketball 1

Treasurer 1

"Lash" is well liked by the student body, especially by his classmates in the Printing Department. We wish him lots of luck in the offset field.

*To a swell  
kid with a good  
personality! Best of  
luck.  
Fred Warren*

JON WATTON  
CABINET MAKING

Bowling and football are his favorite sports. His ambition is to be a Cabinet Maker. We know he will be a success.



EDWIN L. WINER

ELECTRICAL

Eddie would like to enter the Electrical Field. We know he has the ability and will surely make good.



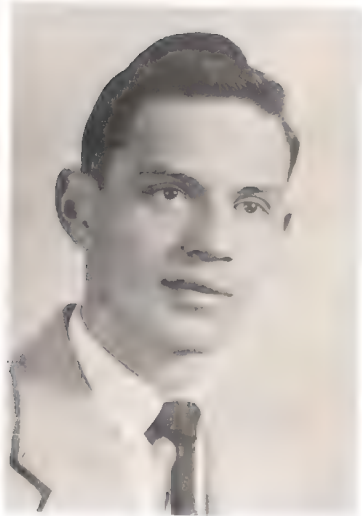
WILLIAM WOZNAK

DECORATING

Secretary 3

William is doing very well at the painting trade. He would like to become a Decorator after he graduates. His favorite pastimes are swimming and bowling.





MARTIN COHEN

PRINTING

Martin is a quiet boy who is most likely to succeed.

RICHARD KENDALL

SHEET METAL

Richard is not sure of his future plans as yet.  
The only sure thing is that he'll be successful.

ALEXANDER QUINTON

MACHINE

Alexander is keeping his ambition a secret, but  
we think he will be serving Uncle Sam soon.

JAMES WELCH

MACHINE

Track 2, 3      Basketball 1, 2, 3

Ambition and success are the objects of his  
goal; and he fits anywhere like a peg in a hole.



Those who are serving  
in the armed forces  
of the United States

JOSEPH MICHAEL AGRI

MICHAEL ANKIEWICZ

JOHN EDWARD DELANEY, JR.

WILLIAM CHARLES FITZGERALD

ALEXANDER QUINTON

EDWIN L. WINER




## Last Will and Testament

We, *The Vocational High School Graduating Class* of the  
*City of Everett*, in the County of *Middlesex* and State of  
*Massachusetts*, being of sound mind and memory, do make,  
publish and declare this, our last **Will and Testament** in manner  
following, that is to say:

Robert Byrd leaves his auto parts-chasing to Frank Lospenato.  
John Delaney leaves the brooms to John Malcolm.  
Foster Hallet leaves his coveralls to Joe Bono.  
Doyle, Boyland, and Winer leave nothing, they are taking it with them.  
Bob Cataldo leaves the Miehle to Donald Cadorette.  
Tom Trites leaves chemistry to Arthur DeFilippo.  
Fred Warren leaves a "Subie" to Skip Borgonzi.  
Eddie Blinn leaves a tree to next year's class so that they will keep well  
supplied on yellow pencils.  
James Malcolm leaves his pride and foolish laugh.  
Edward Clark leaves his phone number and troubles.  
Joe Walczak leaves his silent past and Polish sayings.  
Albert DeLoreto leaves his basketball shooting to James Welch.  
Wozniak leaves his sleeping in class to David Saxton.  
James Surette leaves his house calls to Bond.  
William Fitzgerald leaves his left-handed screw driver to Howe.  
Arnold Miller leaves his window opening job to Wronski.  
Phil Milano leaves his hot temper to his brother Kenneth.  
Lawrence Landry leaves his coffee break to Russell Fullerton.  
Ines Penna leaves all the boys for "Joanne" Cincotta.  
Anita Amigo leaves all her headaches to Marlene Adams.  
Ruth Burns leaves the name "Jezebel" to Edna Lynch.  
Shirley Duncanson leaves all the dishes for Beverley Kendall to wash.  
Florence Horwood leaves the mirror and comb to Pat Hass.

Jointly We hereby appoint *Superman*  
as Keeper of this, our last Will and Testament, with the full power and  
authority to give and convey, lease or mortgage real estate; hereby  
revoking any or former wills that we have made.

In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto subscribed our name at  
*Everett*, Massachusetts, the *15<sup>th</sup>* day of *May*,  
in the year One thousand nine hundred and *fifty-Six*.

*The Graduating Class.* 

## CLASS PROPHECY

As I drive into Everett for the reunion of the Class of '56, I see an Off-  
set Print Shop on Broadway. A sign bears the name of Trites and Cataldo  
Co. Further down Broadway is the sign and shop of Arigo, Barbuto and  
Blinn, famous furniture designers.

I turn my car onto Summer Street and park in front of a beautiful white  
brick building, very modern in design. A plaque above the door bears the  
name of Everett Vocational High School. On the side is the inscription  
of the City Contractors, John Ellis and Richard Mede.

As I walk into the Gym, where the reunion is to be held, I see Foster  
Hallet and Anita Amigo dancing to the music of Dennis Gale and his  
orchestra.

In a corner stands Freddy Warren, Tom DiNapoli and Edmund Dillon  
talking over "old times".

Joe Walczak shakes my hand and tells me that Eddie Clark is the fore-  
man of Eastern Auto's Machine Shop and that Mike Ankiewicz and Alvan  
Quinlan have the biggest cycle shop in Massachusetts.

Foster Hallet has stopped dancing and he tells me that he manages  
"Sugar" Ray Jackson, who is the New England light-weight champ.

I notice that Bill Fitzgerald, Adrian Doyle and Frannie Bovest are  
missing and I inquire about them. Jim Surrette tells me that they work for  
the Government and are down in Washington, D.C.

Tom DeChicco and Edward Brown have their own Sheet Metal Shop  
and are very proud of the work that they put out.

Ines Penna is the beloved teacher of the Home Economics Depart-  
ment and Carol Hathaway is the typing teacher.

The evening is coming to an end and we finish it in good style with  
"Hail, Hail"!

I close this prophecy hoping that all these things will come to pass and  
that the following years will bring success to the entire class of 1956.

## CLASS PERSONALITIES

William Fitzgerald  
Robert Cataldo  
Richard Dushinski  
John McCormack  
Robert Thomas  
Edward Clark  
Frederick Warren  
Joseph Walczak  
Richard Mede  
Francis Bovest  
Joseph Scully  
Alvin Quinlan  
Foster Hallet  
Robert Byrd  
Gene Harper  
Albert DeLoreto  
Thomas Trites  
Raymond Jackson  
David Barnes

**Best Figure**  
**Most Ambitious**  
**Class Nuisance**  
**Teacher's Pet**  
**Most Inquisitive**  
**Best Personality**  
**Best Actor and Actress**  
**Man or Woman Hater**  
**Best Dancer**  
**Best Speaker**  
**Class Politician**  
**Quietest**  
**Biggest Eater**  
**Most Likely to Succeed**  
**Music Lover**  
**Best Sense of Humor**  
**Best Athlete**  
**Best Smile**  
**Best Dresser**

Lucille Singleton  
Ruth Burns  
Florence Horwood  
Shirley Duncanson  
Ines Penna  
Anita Amigo  
Carol Hathaway  
Shirley Duncanson  
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Florence Horwood  
Anita Amigo

## DEPARTMENT OFFICERS

Department	President	Vice-President	Secretary	Treasurer
Auto Repair	Robert Byrd	Frank Lospennato	Gene Harper	Foster Hallett
Business Course	Joyce DiGregorio	Adelaide Bruno	Carol Hathaway	Sally Moreschi
Cabinet Making	Joseph Arigo	Richard Mede	Edwin Blinn	Joseph Barbutto
Decorating	Albert DeLoreto	Edward Hedrington	William Wozniak	Paul Buchanan
Electrical	Adrian Doyle	Edwin Winer	William Conway	John Boyland
Home Economics	Anita Amigo	Joanne Cincotta	Marlene Adams	Lucille Singleton
Machine	Edward Clark	James Minieri	Joseph Walczak	James Malcolm
Printing	Thomas Trites	Arthur DeFilippo	Thomas DiNapoli	Frederick Warren
Radio & T. V.	William Fitzgerald	Joseph Bono	James Surette	John Harrington
Sheet Metal	Philip Milano	Richard Kendall	Edward Brown	Thomas DeChicco
Sheet Metal & Mach.	William Collibee	Frank Silva	Edward Driscoll	John DeVito
Upholstery	Philip Yebba	James Brems	William Hensey	Frank Russell





*Automobile*



*Cabinet  
Making*





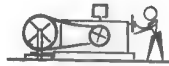


## *Decorating*

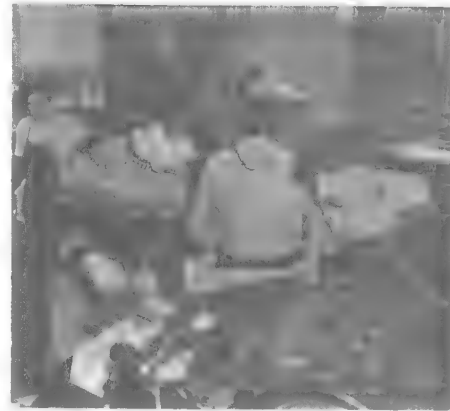


## *Electrical*





*Machine*

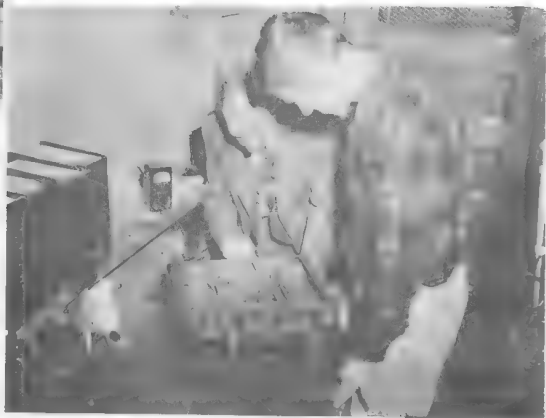


*Printing*





*Radio-T. V.*



*Sheet Metal*







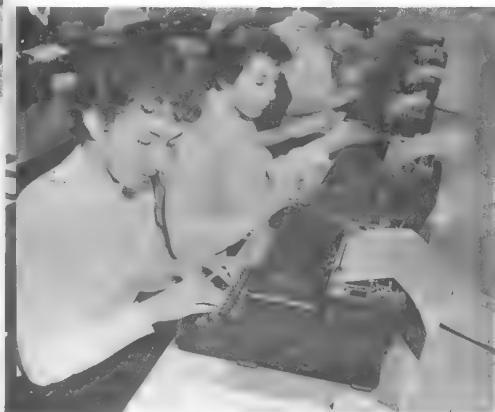
#### PENMANSHIP

Principal John W. Bates, recognizing the need for a course in penmanship in our new Business Course, assigned Mr. George M. O'Neill to the task of improving the handwriting of this girls' class.

A compendium entitled "Finding New Ways" was used by the class. Each girl was taught that her progress depended on how well she could analyze her writing and how carefully she could correct it.

Certificates will be awarded to those students who have made the necessary improvement in penmanship.

## *Business*



## *Home Economics*

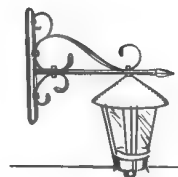




*Junior Upholstery*

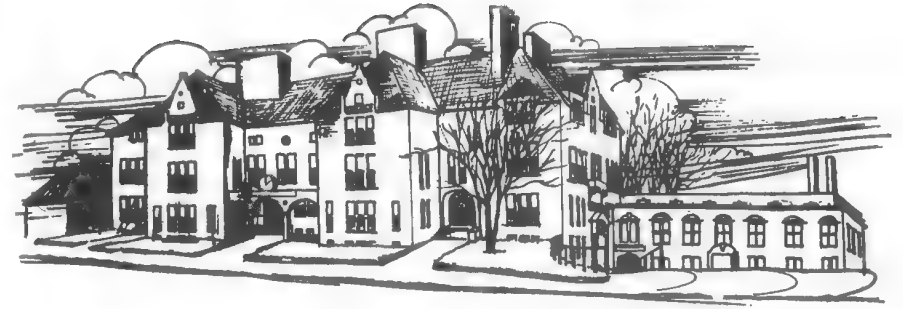
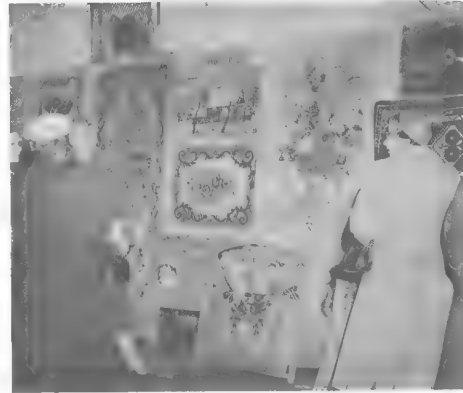


*Junior Machine*





## OPEN NIGHT



## *Highlight Activities*







#### THE EVERETT VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL WINS FIRST AGAIN IN THE I. A. A.

This year, for the first time the I. A. A. went international. In addition to the U. S. and all its possessions, Canada was a participant.

The E. V. H. S. made even a better showing than in the past years. Also this was the first time in the history of the I. A. A. that the same student won the outstanding prize twice. Since the E. V. H. S. has been a participant of this contest it has at least come out second.

The Cabinet making Department won the Outstanding, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd prizes. The Sheet Metal won 2nd prize and 3 honorable mentions. The Machine Shop won one place.

This competition which is sponsored by the Ford Motor Co., is designed to encourage young men to strive for craftsmanship. The contest is becoming more popular each year. About 50,000 projects were entered this year, and about 10,000 schools throughout the country and Canada participated.

This contest gives the student a desire for creative imagination, and an opportunity to try his skill against thousands of other students throughout the country and Canada.

The winner of the Outstanding prize, Donald Guay, received \$100.00 and a free trip to Dearborn accompanied by his instructor Mr. Anthony Fortini. The trip lasted three days. During their stay in Dearborn they had the opportunity to visit the Rouge Plant in operation. They visited Canada, were guests of the University of Michigan and took a tour of the Ford Museum and Greenfield Village. An awards' Banquet was held the final evening of the trip.

Standing, Left to right: Mr. Bates, Principal; Mr. Bleiler, Assist. Supt.; Mr. Holmes, Dist. Manager Ford Motor Co.; Mayor Crowley; Mr. Curnane, School Committee Member; Mr. Canty, Supt. of Schools; Mr. McConnell, Sup. of Voc. Ed.

Sitting, Left to right: James Mineri, Edward Driscoll, Donald Fournier, Donald Guay, Joseph Arigo, Donald DeAngelis, Richard Lutts, Frederick Nuzzo.

## FORD MOTOR CO.

The winners of the contest are as follows:

#### Cabinet Making

Donald Guay—Outstanding—Hepplewhite Desk  
Joseph Arigo—2nd Prize—Cedar Chest  
Donald Fournier—3rd Prize—Chippendale Chair

#### Sheet Metal

Frederick Nuzzo—2nd Prize—Table Lamps  
Donald DiAngelis—Honorable Mention—Watering Pot  
Edward Driscoll—Honorable Mention—Picture Frame  
Richard Lutts—Honorable Mention—Lantern

#### Machine Shop

James F. Winer—Place—Drill Press



## INDUSTRIAL ARTS AWARD

Left to Right:  
Mr. Charles E. Bleiler, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Hayes Holmes, Ford Motor Co., Donald Guay, Mr. Joseph A. Curnane, School Committee member, Mr. William P. Canty, Superintendent of Schools.





The above picture shows Mayor Philip J. Crowley Presenting a Ford Motor Co. Certificate and Check of \$100 to Donald Guay 1st prize winner in the F.M.C.I.A.A. Contest.



An \$80 check was presented by Superintendent of Schools, Mr. William P. Canty to Joseph Arigo of the Cabinet Making Department.



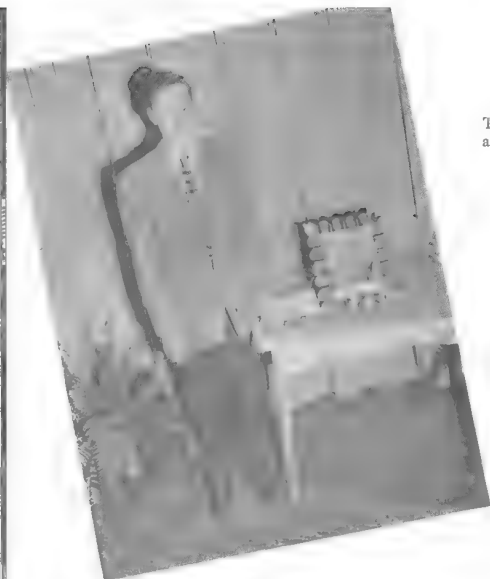


Mr. Charles E. Bleiler, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, is shown presenting a check of \$20 to Donald DeAngelis of the Sheet Metal and Machine Dept.



The above picture shows Mr. Joseph A. Curnane, School Committee member presenting a \$60 check to Donald Fournier.

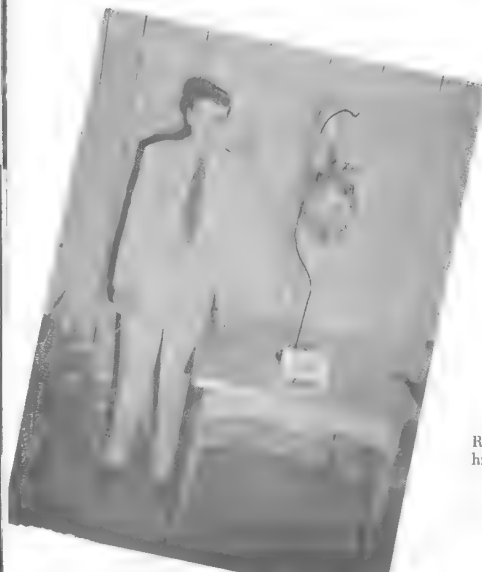




This is Edward Driscoll of the Sheet Metal Dept. and his entry.



The above picture shows Frederick Nuzzo of the Sheet Metal Dept. proudly displaying his entry.



Richard Lutts of the Sheet Metal Dept. also shows his entry.



## DRIVER-EDUCATION CLASS

Left—Mr. Fortini, Instructor, Robert Thomas, George Doyle, Robert Lake, Raymond Jackson—behind the wheel.

Right—front row—Francis Bovest, Foster Hallett, Richard Smith, Thomas DiNapoli.

Right—back row—Albert DeLoreto, Edward Hedrington, John Delaney, Joseph Scully, Salvatore Marchese, Robert Cataldo, Paul Buchanan

Driver-education in the Everett Vocational High School has been in progress for some time. In fact this school has been a pioneer in this type of instruction. The Everett Vocational High School was the first school in Massachusetts to offer the Adult Driving Course. Even long before a car was available to the school for on-the-road-training this school had been conducting classes on Safety Driving.

Not only is this course very popular but the students gain much from it. They not only learn how to drive, but most important the correct way. They are taught to use common sense on the road, and to be courteous. With the highways becoming more and more crowded each year, this proper driving education becomes imperative.

This course consists of 20 hours of class room instruction, which includes the laws of the road, courtesy and common sense on the road, and information a driver should know about his car.

On-the-road-training is given to the student until the instructor is satisfied that the student is qualified to handle a car and is considered a safe driver.

The student is then tested by the Registry man. If he passes his test satisfactorily the student is then given his driver's license.

With the completion of this course, the student will receive a certificate which he will use for a reduction of his registration fee.







## ORCHESTRA and BOYS' CHOIR

Mr. Wonson and boys of our choir rehearsing for the Christmas Play.



During the past School year the Everett Vocational High School Band acquired an accordion, which has been played by Samuel Fiore one of our first year boys of the Cabinet Making Department.

Our orchestra has played not only marches, etc, but also overtures and in a lighter vein some of the music so popular with the young folks of today.

The following boys comprise this year's group:

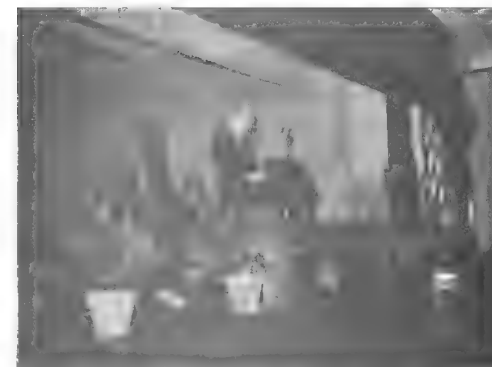
Joseph Barbuto, Trumpet, Cabinet  
Michael Faia, Drums, Printing  
Samuel Fiore, Accordion, Cabinet  
John Lombardi, Trumpet, Electrical  
Carmen Maresco, Piano, Electrical  
James Seaver, Sax and Clarinet, Printing  
Edward Spacer, Trombone, Radio

We hope to have more members next year and understand that some of our new applicants for next year are musicians.

Our Student Government Day Assembly was held at our school on Tuesday, March 6, this year.

The following invited guests were present: Lieutenant Governor Whittier, State Representative Henry W. Finnegan, Jr., Mayor Philip J. Crowley, Superintendent William P. Canty, Assistant Superintendent Charles E. Bleiler, and Student Government Representative Robert Byrd of the Automobile Department.

"To this end, also, the General Court of the Commonwealth in more recent years established Student Government Day, decreeing that the Second Friday of March should be set aside each year in order that student representatives of all public, private, and parochial high schools in Massachusetts should conduct proceedings at the State House in the same manner as the General Court, and other state officers, and for the formal observance of this day in the schools of the Commonwealth."



Principal John W. Bates, opening ceremonies for Good Government Day.

## STUDENT GOVERNMENT DAY



ROBERT BYRD  
Vocational High School Student Government  
Day Representative

## HARVEST DANCE



Joyce DiGregorio is presenting the door prize to Dorothy Summers a graduate of our school.




Joyce DiGregorio is shown presenting a gold pin set to Joseph Barbuto, door prize winner at the Harvest Dance.



## VALENTINE DANCE





# SPORTS

### TRACK

MR. GEORGE M. O'NEILL, Coach

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### BASKETBALL

MR. PAUL J. MERLESENA, Coach


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### BASEBALL

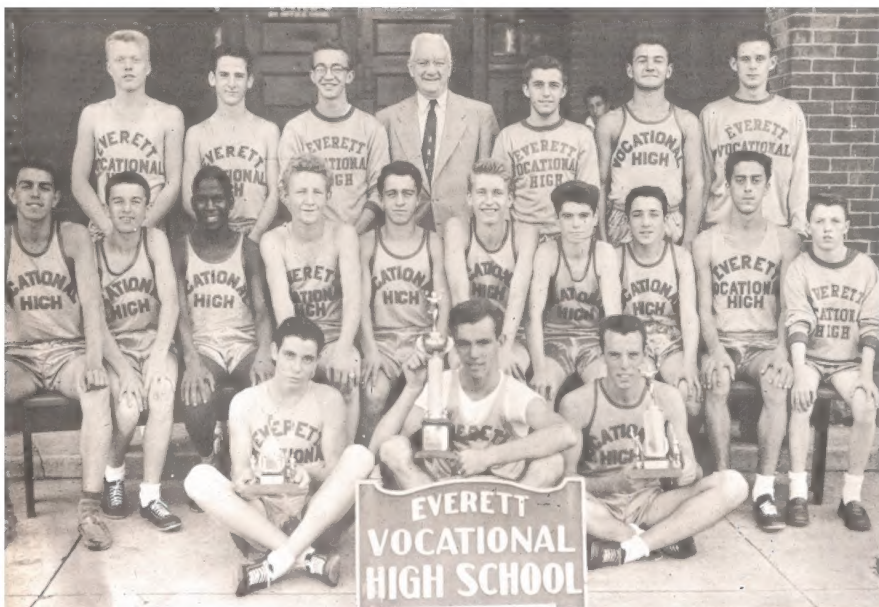
MR. JOHN B. HEMINGWAY, Coach

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MR. WILLIAM L. HOLLE, Faculty Manager







Rear Row—Mark Johnson, James J. Smith, John Lombardi, Coach George M. O'Neill, Samuel Fiore, John Gregory, Paul Tyrrell

Middle Row—Albert DeLoreto, William Pettengill, James Smith, Robert Fitzgerald, Leslie McClay, Carl Peluso, Anthony, Anzalone, James Brems

Front Row—Co-Capt. George Doyle, Co-Capt. William T. Jones, Co-Capt. John Boyland—Trophy Winners

Forty candidates for this year's cross-country team reported to Coach O'Neill at Glendale Park, September 15. After two weeks of intensive training the squad was reduced to thirty-four runners. Three veterans formed the nucleus of a possible State of Massachusetts championship team. (William Jones, John Boyland, George Doyle).

Dual meet victories were gained over the harrier squads of Bellingham, Woonsocket, R. I., Wellesley, and Concord High Schools. Divisional and State Meet triumphs over Arlington, Belmont, Haverhill, Salem, Clinton, Hopedale, Holbrook, Oxford, Spencer, Plymouth, Rockland and Uxbridge High School teams testifies to another very successful season for our harrier squad.

## CROSS COUNTRY

Our boys finished second in Class "D" at the state Meet at Franklin Park. William Jones took the first prize gold medal. His time was the second fastest recorded for the nine hundred boys running in classes A, B, C, and D. Captain Jones had smashed several course records during the regular season's play. He astounded the experts by defeating the best runners in Middlesex County at Tufts College, on October 28, by running this 2½ miles course in the fast time of 11 min. 41 secs. Captain John Boyland brought honor to his school by finishing tenth at the State Meet.

Varsity letters were issued to top scoring runners.

Twenty-six boys were awarded diplomas certifying regular attendance at practice sessions, good conduct, sportsmanship and character trait excellence.



## BASKETBALL

The basketball season this year was an exciting one, if not too spectacular. The boys chalked up victories over clubs which were supposed to be much better, winning by either a basket or a foul shot.

Under the able leadership of Coach Paul J. Merlona, they overcame a handicap that has been hindering Everett teams for years, the inability to play on large floors.

The team ended the season with a victory over Newton, chalking up 5 victories and 4 defeats. Everett went to the Bay State Tournament and was defeated by Our Lady of Newton.

Through graduation, the Everett Basketball team will lose Tom Trites and Al DeLoreto.





Rear Row: R. Peterson, R. Manganiello, E. Hedrington,  
Asst. Manager P. Petrou, D. DeAngelis, W. Johnson,  
A. DeLoreto.

Middle Row: J. Lombardi, P. Scopa, C. Nicewicz, A.  
Ells, A. Sargent, C. Moresco, Capone, Copeland.

Front Row: J. Gregory, A. Ventresco, Coach J. B. Hem-  
ingway, F. Nicewicz, Captain J. Walczak.  
Manager E. Clark.

## BASEBALL

With Captain J. Walczak pitching a decisive victory over last year's Trade School League Champions, Malden Vocational, our team won its first game. Looking ahead we hope to have a very successful season.

1956 BASEBALL SCHEDULE		
April 24	Everett	at Malden
April 26	Everett	at St. Joseph's
May 2	Lynn	at Lowell
May 3	Everett	at Everett
May 8	Malden	at Somerville
May 10	Waltham	at Everett
May 15	Lowell	at Everett
May 18	Everett	at Lynn
May 23	Everett	at Waltham
May 25	Somerville	at Everett
May 29	Open	
May 31		



